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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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The Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed November 21, 2006, is hereby acknowledged. In response, applicant encloses for filing in the above-captioned U.S. patent application an executed Declaration, as required.

Applicant's attorney attempted to submit the signed Declaration via EFS-Web on August 23, 2006, and the \$130 fee for late filing of the oath or declaration was paid at that time. No additional fee should be required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized, however, to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1679.

Respectfully submitted,

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